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ATTN: CAO THOMPSEN

1. THE DIRECTOR OF THE NATIONAL TEACHERS INSTITUTE
WHICH IS CHARGED WITH PROVIDING TEACHING MATERIALS,
PAMPHLETS, RADIO AND TV PROGRAMS ETC. A NATIONWIDE
TRAINING PROGRAM HAS REQUESTED USIS KADUNA TO PROVIDE
ASSISTANCE FOR A THREE MONTH VISIT TO THE UNITED STATE
ITS SENIOR STAFF MEMBERS MR. AYO AJAYI, HEAD OF NTI

2. NTI IS PREPARED TO PAY FOR A SPECIAL THREE MONTH
COURSE OR ATTACHMENT, AND TRAVEL AS NEEDED TO PROVIDE AN
OPPORTUNITY FOR MR. AJAYI TO OBSERVE PRODUCTION OF INSTRUCTIONAL
MATERIAL FOR A "FREE UNIVERSITY" OR "EDUCATIONAL RADIO-
TELEVISION." THIS WOULD INCLUDE PRODUCTION FROM SCRIPTING TO
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FINISHED PRINTED, TAPED OR FILMED MATERIAL.

3. COURSE CONTENT SHOULD INCLUDE (A) PRODUCTION OF PACKAGE
INCLUDING (1) PRINTED MATERIALS, (2) AUDIO COMPONENTS AND
(3)) TELEVISION REQUIREMENTS. (B) ORGANIZATION APPROACHES
INCLUDING (1) INSTRUCTIONS DESIGN TEAM WORK, (2) SPECIAL
INTRODUCTORY ACCOUNTING COURSE TEAM WORK (OR PILOT PROGRAM),

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(3) PRODUCTION SET-UP SO AS TO MEET TWO OF THESE FORMATS FOR PRODUCTION. (C) NINE-MONTH PRODUCTION FORMAT-A-COURSE WHICH DOES NOT REQUIRE TELEVISION BUT WILL MAKE EXTENSIVE USE OF PRINT AND AUDIO COMPONENT AND (D) THE ELEVEN-MONTH PRODUCTION UNI-A COURSE WHICH MAKES USE OF MINIMAL TELEVISION REQUIREMENTS:

4. WHILE MR. AJAYI ISHPRIMARILY INTERESTED IN OBSERVING COURSE MATERIAL PROFUPION AND MAAGOVNT HE WILL ALSO BE INTERESTED IN THE EQUIPMENT USED SINCE NTI WILL BE PURCHASING THE LATEST EQUIPMENT FROM PRINTING PRESSES TO TV AND RADIO PRODUCTION EQUIPMENT.

5. THERE ARE A NUMBER OF UNIVERSITIES IN THE UNITED STATES WHERE THE COMPLETE PRODUCTION AND MANAGEMENT FOR "FREE UNIVERSITY" TYPE MATERIAL IS CARRIED OUT FROM SCRIPTING TO FINISHED BOOK OR RADIO TV PROGRAM. IF THIS FACILITATIVE ASSISTANCE CAN BE PROVIDE THE POST SUGGESTS THE FOLLOWING UNIVERSITIES BE CONTACTED TO DETERMINE IF MR. AJAYI CAN BE ACCOMMODATED. UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA, UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA, EDUCATIONAL TELEVISION PROJECT AT HAGERSTOWN, MARYLAND,UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI AND HOUSTON UNIVERSITY.

6. MR. AJAYI HAS ALSO BEEN DEPUTISED BY THE DIRECTOR OF NTI, MR. HAFEZ WALI, A GRADUATE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA TO EXPLORE THE POSSIBILITY OF AN EXCHANGE OF TEACHERS TYPE
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LINKAGE WITH AMERICAN UNIVERSITIES AND TO DETERMINE TECHNICAL TRAINING POSSIBILITIES AT A NUMBER OF AMERICAN COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES FOR MEMBERS OF THE NTI STAFF.

7. NTI IS THE LARGEST PROJECT OF ITS KIND UNDERTAKEN BY THE NIGERIAN GOVERNMENT AIEMD PRIMARILY AT UPGRADING THE LEVEL OF TEACHERS TO MEET THE ENORMORS INCREASE IN NEED FOR TEACHERS UNDER THE UNIVERSAL PRIMARY EDUCATION PROGRAM. THE POST STRONGLY URGES FACILITATIVE ASSISTANCE BE APPROVED FOR MR. AYO AJAYI.
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